



Docket No.: 392.1811

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Koichi NISHIMURA, et al.

Serial No. 10/647,258

Group Art Unit: 1722

Confirmation No. 2081

Filed: August 26, 2003

Examiner: Mackey, J.

For: CLAMPING MECHANISM FOR INJECTION MOLDING MACHINE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed April 27, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on July 27, 2006. An RCE and a Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to September 27, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.